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Senate Busy With Issues

by MELISSA BETAK
SA vice-president Rachel
Shadrick called the meeting to
order at 6:00 sharp. After roll call
she read the minutes of the last
meeting and they were approved
with no corrections. She continued with several announcements; The executive cabinet will post its new hours at Anne Fairfax Annex, stuhours at Anne Fairfax Annex, stu-dent loans will be available starting Wednesday (amounts up to \$35.00). All members of the executive cabinet will be present at the senate meeting February 3.

A representative from each class is needed for the entertainment committee and two for each for the

committee and two for each for the movie committee.

Jenifer "beach party" Blair an-nounced that the last new equip-ment for the radio staton has arriv-ed and that the transmittor has en repaired so that Willard Hall ow has reception for WMWC.

Committee reports were next, members of various SA committees are encouraged to contact their chairman. Several committees are

chairman. Several committees are working on a number of projects.

There will be an open student body meeting February 17, everyone is welcome and encouraged to attend.

Moving to unfinished business, Shadrick reminded senators to get their votes of confidence in as soon as possible. SA whip Jim Pierpoint was recognized by the chair and requested senate support on three proposals; 1. The bill before the house concerning a student on the BOV in a voting capacity; 2. Smoke detector legislation in the general assembly that would allow local jurisdictions the right to require smoke detectors installed in buildings built before 1976. 3. That senate oppose legislation to raise the drinking age. (Plerpoint stressed the fact that many students would lose jobs if the drinking age is raised to 19 or 20, as two bills in the General Assembly are recomhouse concerning a student on the

that extra 'umph'

mending). The senate agreed to

back Pierpoint on all three issues.

Continuing with new business, the chair recognized senators, comstudents on several points of con-mittee chairmen and concerned students on several points of con-cern; much discussion centered around the issues of heating in the residence halls (too much or not enough) and the delay in installing enough) and the delay in installing showers on the upper floors of Ball Hall. The chair recognized Scot Harris who has composed a welcome home letter for the return-ing hostages. He requested ap-proval and assistance from the senate in distributing copies of the letter in residence halls and the day student's lounge so as to obtain signatures from every Mary Washington student who wishes to welcome back the 52 Americans after days of captivity. The motion was passed. Senate adjourned at 6:38 p.m.



Sustan liked this "moon set over Westmoreland" Really Houston! We like it to!

Poolroom or Pub? Familiar Room to in New Guise Reopen

by MELISSA BETAK
After five years of planning,
designing, budgeting and a lot of
talk, Mary Washington's own
"Rathskeller" type pub will be
opening soon. If all goes well and
no unexpected problems arise,
Mary Washington students and
their guests will be enjoying entertainment and cold draught beer in
the pub by the end of February.

Substantial renovation of the pool room was completed last spr-

ing, but in order to suit the needs of "a real pub" still more had to be done. Elaborate audio equipment, freezer and refrigeration systems. Tables and chairs, soda fountains, cash register and other necessities had to be ordered (some from othe parts of the country) and installed. A control booth, maintenance area and storage room had to be con-structed. All this is being done

under a tight budget, and according to Dean White is "progressing nicely". She continues, however,

that "if all goes well it's a surprise... there are things that no on this campus can control inting to the fact that some one on this campus can control "pointing to the fact that some orders are still being waited on and completion of the facilities is dependent on their arrival.

The pub is being operated by ARA. The initial hours of operation will be 8-11 p.m. weekdays and 8 p.m. -12 p.m. on Friday and Saturday. It well serve beer, soft drinks and munchies but no liquor or hot food. Proof of age will be required.

Manager Mark Ingrao describes the new pub as "a big plus" for Mary Washington, "A rathskeller type atmosphere that's more student oriented than the C-shop," Students will be employed by AR as DJs, performers, servers behind the counter and as a cashier.

The pub will draw on student talent in more than one aspect The

audio equipment that will be used in the pub requires the skillful hands of experienced DJs. Students with experience from WMWC or others with knowledge of operating a sophisticated sound system are encouraged to contact Dean White. There will be no juke born that the still t box in the pub but there will always by entertainment of some kind, be it tapes, a DJ or live performances. When the pub opens it will pro-vide an alternative to keg parties or

vide an alternative to keg parties or driving into Georgetown for something to do. Expansion and appropriate changes will be made according to student response, but the pub should prove to be a real attraction for many Mary Washington students in that it provides the kind of entertainment students are used to going off campus for and it provides it at reasonable prices. As SA president Leath Burdeshaw said, "The pub is going to be a real asset to Mary Washington."

Spirit song, Mascot sought

by BETHANNE DAUGHTREY Mary Washington has its Alma Mater. It has its colors. Now that it Mater. It has its colors. Now that it boasts so many recognized, championship athletic teams, something seems missing. The search is on for a little spirit-spiking material-in the form of a fight song and a

According to Leath Burdeshaw, Student Association President, everyone she has talked to thinks everyone she has talked to thinks it's a great idea to add a little "umph" to games and tournaments as well as to the rest of MWC life. She says "it's the kind of idea everyone thinks of, but never says anything about." Most of the individual teams have their cliches and catch phrases, but members of those teams are still stumped when saked the "Mary Washington whats?"

The "Blue Tide" was adopted.

"Blue Tide" was adopted through a student vote about three years ago, but Leath says that many feel the college still needs a more concrete mascot-an animal or character that can literally be at the games and put on posters and banners to help spice things up. She fels that it would draw teems together more if they all have something in common. "And everybody else on campus can feel much more a part of it" with the ad-ded themes.

President Woodard, Dean Gordon, and the BOV have all been approached with the idea of adopting the extra song and proached with the idea of adopting the extra song and mascot. Burdeshaw says that the ad-ministrators she's ben in touch with think it's a "terrific" idea. Because of that support, she doesn't feel there would be any problem in adopting something-if the students want it. Once something students want it. Once something concrete and presentable has been worked out, it would go to a student vote. Whatever song and mascot are chosen, Burdeshaw would talk it over with Woodard and the BOV, and unless they feel it needs to be "acknowledged,"; it should be okayed without any administrative implementation. As she says, "It's not changing anything, it's just adding." After that, the new song and mascot would be publicized throughout the campus via flyers, posters and the athletic teams use.

athletic teams' use.

The idea had been introduced earlier in the year during an Open Student Body meeting, and in a let-Student Body meeting, and in a fet-ter to the campus from Burdeshaw. The Music Department has agreed to write a tune for the pep song. Burdeshaw hopes that there will be others on campus who have creative talents in art and music-or in spirit-raising-who will be able to contribute to the proposal. The SA

Executive Cabinet has tossed around a few ideas on its own, but the project, Burdeshaw feels, needs greater variety of people. She has considered forming a group made up of some interested musicians, artists, "peppy" people, and may be class publicity chairmen. This com-mittee would do some brainstorm-ing, throw around their ideas, and what they can come up with

Burdeshaw will be asking for volunteers and suggestions at the next Open Student Body meeting as well as presenting her ideas to the Senate on February 3. "I may even get people to come by room-to-room to talk, because polls and torms just don't make it with something creative like this." She urges any student, faculty, or staff member who is intersted in work-ing on this "spirit project" or who

ing on this "spirit project" or who already has a suggestion, to get in touch with her. By next week, a date should be set for a group meeting to discuss the proposal.

The idea has potential and as Burdeshaw says, "there are lots of traditions here that we can work with-Halloweens, Devil-Goat Dayto figure out something unique. It would add to the school a personality of its own...give it character.... ty of its own...give it character,,,a feeling of unity...and a little more

Downtown Revitalization **Progresses**

by CYNTHIA NASH

Visitors to downtown

Visitors to downtown Fredericksburg are likely to notice the empty shop windows and run down buildings of the city before they sight the many specialty shops and the visitors center there. The City of Fredericksburg has recognized this problem for two decades now, and efforts are underway to renovate the area to attract more businesses as well as tourists. According to Samuel Emory, President of the Central Fredericksburg Association, the mall and shopping centers in the downtown area have been allowed to run down-often because to run down-often because absentee landowners have not kept up the maintanance of their prop

Many absentee landowners have not only let their property run down but have also contributed to

the deterioration by providing low rentals on that property. So states
Jo Love Willis, Director of the
Bicentennial visitors Center.

Bicentennial visitors Center.

Fires downtown have also contributed to the decay of the city, and have destroyed many of the remaining wooden structures.

Now, however, a coordinated effort is being made to bring in new businesses to the area, encourage tourism, and offer better commuting services between Fredericksburg and Washington, D.C.

An architectural review board An architectural review board has been set up to help preserve the historical quality of the city; efforts are being made to improve the parking situation; a park and walkway along the river are now being planned; and promotions are

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Abolish Apathy

Although there are continual signs of improvement, apethy continues to be a major problem at MWC-one which plagues student leaders, activists and administrators alike. It is hard to justify this apathy in light of the fact that there are so many things that need to be done here-rule changes, program development and the expansion of existing organizations and activities.

Does apathy reflect satisfaction? We believe not. The apathetic complain, and complain loudly. We've all heard that "there's nothing to do on this campus," or "the rules are so outdated," and "why can't we do something about ARA?" But how many of us have made a concerted effort to change what we do not like about MWC?

Dissatisfaction is fine-if something results from it. Time alone is not likely to change any campus organization, be it SA or a sports club. What will result in change is involvement, participation, committment. Especially committment. Dedication and hard work will be the vehicles for any change brought about at Mary Washington. The change

does not appear quickly, but it can appear.

But there will be no change if there is a lack of committment. We all have some degree of committment in our lifeto academics, to our loved ones. A number of us have committments to student government and extracurricular activities. If every student on this campus became involved in, committed to at least one organization, whatever the purpose of that organization, the potential for change on this campus would rise to tremendous heights.

And change would bring about enthusiasm for more change-and enthusiasm for change is what is needed to insure continual progress and growth at Mary Washington. Enthusiasm, not apathy.

What can you do? Become more involved in the organization you think needs the most improvement. Participate. Change. Enjoy. Abolish Apathy!

Cooperation vs. Criticism

This is in response to the letter in the January 20, 1981 edition of THE BULLET, concerning the letter Dean Gordon sent to students over best Theorem. ter Dean Gordon sent to students over break. The people who wrote this letter criticized Dean Gordon for her "ambiguous wording, spot-ty puncuation, and suspect sentence structure." I believe this criticism is unnecessary and cheap (for the mistakes in the letter could be due to typing or reprographic er-rors and not the writing of Dean Gordon), also it seems strange that two of the people who wrote the ter write for THE BULLET (w ter write fo is guilty of ambiguous wording spotty punctuation and suspect punctuation and sus time). These people go on to say that "the students who par-ticipated in 'the raid' had already ticipated in 'the raid' had already been dealt with at the time of the writing (of the letter), and there was no need to involve the entire student body." This statement shows that these people did not know the facts or understand the situation, for all the students who participated in the raid had not been dealt with at the writing of Dean Gordon's letter.

been dealt with at the writing of Dean Gordon's letter. Furthurmore, "the raid" was not the only event that prompted the writing of Dean Gordon's letter; there was a fight on campus that became fairly serious, kegs found in dorms and many other rules broken around campus.

This is not to say that Dean Gordon was right or wrong in sending the letter, or that the policies and rules of this college are right or wrong in sending the letter, or that the policies and rules of this college are right or wrong, but it is Dean Gordon's job to carry out these policies. She does this in coopera-tion with student leaders in ar open-minded and flexible manner.

The people who wrote the letter stated that "the administration stated that "the administration should represent the school in a more positive and less patronizing manner," but how positive is it to criticize Dean Gordon on grammar instead of working with her. Hopefully, these people read President Woodard's letter which appeared above theirs and realize that the administration is positive in it's attitude. The administration has a lot of problems to deal with, as do ems to deal with, as do the students. If we show understanding and if we cooperate with each other's problems, more will be accomplished and much

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Ticket-sales Deceiving

Dear Editor;
We would like to express our disapproval of the way Madison and Custis Residence Halls handled the ticket selling for "The Rocky Horor Picture Show" this past Friderich and the selling for "The Rocky Horor Picture Show" this past Friderich and the selling for "The Rocky Horor Picture Show" this past Friderich and the selling for "The Rocky Horor Picture Show" this past Friderich and the selling for "The Rocky Horor Picture Show" this past Friderich and the selling for "The Rocky Horor Picture Show" the selling for "The Rocky Horor Picture Show" this past Friderich and the selling for "The Rocky Horor Picture Show" t

day night.

All advertisements distributed on campus stated that tickets would be sold at 6pm on Friday, January 23, 1981. No other time for ticket sales was formally announced. At 6pm on Friday, when we went to buy the tickets, we discovered that earlier that day they had been sold at lunch. Unfor-

tunately, because of this we were unable to buy tickets for the show that we wished to see.

Apart from being very disappointed we were alos angry that the advertisement for ticket sales was inaccurate if this was the case. We feel that this was both unfair and unnecessary. We hope that in the future, other organizations will be a llitle more considerate and definite in their advertising.

Sincerely, Barbara Cahill Georgiana Hall

LETTERS

Laughter Lasts

To the Editor:

To the Editor:

I am writing in response to Ms. Cynthia Normann's letter to The Bullet concerning the publication of your lampoon, the exam issue.

First, I think it is important to point out that Ms. Normann should be commended for writing the letter in the first place. Too few of the readers of The Bullet express opinions. Granted, The Bullet is not exactly the vanguard of liberal or even controversial thought, but it is what it is. I would argue that students are not as involved in expressing opinions now as when I pressing opinions now as when I was in school, but the times may have a great deal to do with that. A nave a great deal to do with that. A newspaper should reflect the wishes, views, hopes and opinions of the people with whom it is con-cerned. As a college publication I would hope to see much more in-volvement with matters both volvement with matters both academic and germane to the world in which the readers for the most part will be involved, perhaps even finding themselves in control of matters of political and social vance

However, I must confess a certain disappointment in Ms. Normann's assessment of the examissue and her assessment of humor mann's assessment of the exam issue and her assessment of humor in general. She is appalled, she says, to read an article which makes light of murder, My question to her would be, "If we cannot make light of? Indeed, what needs more desperately than the taking of human life on a grand scale to be seen in perspective?"

It should be remembered that comedy is only fully developed tragedy. Comedy is tragedy taken one step further.

I agree that murder is tragic. However, it is precisely the fact that murder is ugly, is historical, and worst of all, is daily, that we must be able to laugh at this insanity in order to deal with it. If we were all to adopt the attitude that it must not be made light of, we would surely go mad. To what would we address ourselves if we were mad?

more readily. Certainly antagonism can only slow this process.

Sincerely, Andy Munsey

Betsy Rohaly

resist.

The damage is done and I am without to book or the money from its purchase. While the material loss hurts me, the deeper violation of my personal rights and of the Honor Code is what really saddens

There is a perfectly logical rela-tionship between murder and a good sense of humor. A good sense good sense of humor. A good sense of humor is a gift and a necessity if we are to deal with a world that has few universal tenets. Life out there is very cheap. Good or bad—it is the case in many nations. You, the young people need to laugh at it and then repair the broken and sick world you will inherit. My generation did it, yours will do it, and the generations after you will do it. The work is never finished. You must laugh at your troubles, for they will laugh at your troubles, for they will not go away.

not go away.

Monotonous sexual gabble does not seem to saturate the paper, it does saturate the paper. I would say- more power to you! Whether we like it or not, sex is funny. Sex has been funny since the dawn of time, and it will always be funny. People will always laugh at sex. It is naive, and to some extent ignorant, to mistake levity for norant, to mistake levity for ridicule. What's more, sex is a lot of fun and it should be treated with fun and it should be treated with respect because it is so powerful and so tempting. What is more, I disagree with the word gabble. Sex was discussed in the exam issue with taste, and it was articulate and quite funny. When I was young sex was taboo—I am particularly sorry to see a woman speaking. sex was taboo- I am particularly sorry to see a woman speaking against more open discussion and enjoyment of sex. We have been the ones who have been suppressed. No more.

There were certainly no personal ssaults on the administration. The rather barbed commentary may have been mistaken, but certainly not personal. The criticism was in-stitutional. I would tend to

disagree with the writer that the administration was or is unaware of sex on campus. Please do not think that because people are older than you they are any less in telligent or experienced. They are itself. than you can be respected. They are just the opposite. I would cite Ms. Normann for not encouraging the paper to criticize the administration. Valid criticism is very important, and a student newspaper is the best place in the world for young, bright, intelligent thoughts to surface. Ms. Normann, you should work on the paper. Change something. The administration is certainly strong and established enough to take a little "ribbing," don't you think?

don't you think?

I am not surprised Ms. Normann has experienced some frustration at college. She should try to relax. A college newspaper is the correct, established and accepted channel through which students should direct their displeasure, or their placesure.

Pleasure. Yes Cynthia, college is a place to develop your mind to effectively deal with the world and everyday life. Please do so. Attack the world with a smile and the firm conviction that you are right to laught at the misfortune, but change it. She who laughts, lasts. It is a gift to see humor in everything—it is there. You will all need to see the humor, for only through laughter can we change many of the sad situations in the world.

I wish you luck and warm laughter-

Jacqueline L. Burress

Bookseller Appeals

Dear Editor.

Dear Eastor,
On January 16 I discovered that a
book I was compelled to sell, more
out of financial necessity than
desire, was missing from the Kappa
Delta Pi booksale held the previous
day in the ACL Ballroom. After aay in the ACL Battroom. After thoroughly checking for its whereabouts and recalling that my name and extension were marked in ink in it, I concluded that the book had been stolen. I was told by the Honor Council President that the professor of the class using the book could require that his students bring their books to class to be checked by me for my missing copy. The professor chose not to copy. The professor chose not to take this sort of action, feeling that it would set a negative tone for the class. However he did offer to an-nounce that the book was missing

So who is to blame for this inci-dent? Is it my fault for being foolish enough to leave an expensive book in excellent condition at a sale with poor security? Is it Kappa Delta Pi's fault for not being more concerned with security and not offer ing compensation for missing books? Is it the professor's fault for oooks is it the professor's fault for wanting to be a professor and not a policeman? Of course the blame does not ultimately lie on any of these people but on the person who actually took the book. However I do think the booksale needs to be conducted in a room (perhaps the poolroom) with one doorway and to allow no one to correspond poolroom) with one doorway and to allow no one to carry books, bookbags, or purses in with them. Receipts should be given so that there is proof that all books leaving the sale have been purchased. A similar security system should also be utilized when students pick up their unsold books and/or money on the day following the sale. Obviously the current booksale setup offers temptations too great for some to resist.

me. The loss of mine and other students' books also gives a bad name to Kappa Delta Pi's booksale. Whoever is responsible for taking my Abnormal Psychology and Modern Life book, I would like to Modern Life book, I would like to focus your attention on an appropriate and ironic sentence found propriate and front sentence found on page 14 under the section titled "Abnormal as maladaptive": "...the present text maintains that the best criterion for determining the normality of behavior is not whether society accepts it but rather whether it fosters the wellbeing of the individual and ultimately, of the group." I appeal to you to consider how your action has adversely affected others and to then act constructively on whatever sense of guilt may be sparked in you by sending me my book or my money (\$18.00) via mail. My name is in my book and my address is in the campus direc-

Sincerely, Julia T. Dyer

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More Letters...

Judicial System

Too Lenient

Dear Editor;

I am writing this letter in an effort to make the campus community aware of the inefficiency of the Judicial System. As a Hall Judicial Chairman, I have many opportunities to see the system in action. My position affords me a vantage point from which to see the breakdown of the system.

Most of the failures are due to the lack of support given to students charged with seeing that the Judicial System is upheld. The job of enforcing the rules of this College becomes an impossibility when out efforts are continually undermined by the Court, the Campus Judicial Chairman, and the Administration. The lenient punishments put forth by these people make out job an exercise in futility. The students under our supervision think nothing of disobeying the rules because they all believe the Court and Administrative Hearing boards are a farce. Both proceedings are not efforts to punish people but merely an appeasement of those who cry for action when an offense has been committed.

Concerned students of this col-

committed.
Concerned students of this college believe it is a disgrace that the Judicial System of this college has been so lenient and inconsistant. It is not fair to the students who strive to obey the rules that those who do not are scarcely punished. We believe the system can work on-

ly if given the support and backing it needs from the compus communi-ty. It can only get this backing, however, if the Court becomes more serious and consistant in their responsibility.

Sincerely. Susan Byrne
Anne M. Reed
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Hostages Now History

Dear Editor, With the rele With the release of the American hostages, a 14-month period of national anxiety will give way to reflection and a variety of emotions, relief being the principle. Our national humiliation has ended; the hostage crisis is now but another episode for the textbooks.

The "lessons" of the affair are already being discussed; the failures of the United Nations and World Court to influence events, the appalling lack of security at our embassies and the inability of our special frices to complete a rescue

mission are only a few of the topics to be discussed.

It is particularly the scene at Desert One which haunts us now. No one who witnessed the desecra-tion of our dead servicemen on national television can ever forget or

The role of the media in the crisis must also be examined. It has been must also be examined. It has been argued (with some justification) that the coverage given the militants played directly into their hands. These questions of professional ethics are too involved to consider here. What may not be apparent in the aftermath of the crisis is the good news: throughout a very long and frustrating fourteen months the American principle of the supreme importance of the in-dividual has been upheld. Since November 4, 1979, Presi-

dent Carter's actions have taken to achieve a single goal: taken to achieve a single goal: the safe release of the hostages. Often at the expense of U.S. prestige, he has reaffirmed the belief that American lives are of unique and precious value. It has been sug-gested that the militants would never have dared seize the Soviet unbassy, for fear of immediate and crushing retaliation. It is not unlikely that the lives of Soviet diplomats would have been sacrific-ed. They doubtless would have been awarded medals of honor, albeit posthumously.

John Cherry

MD Dancethon Rocks into Night

"Rockin' Into the Night" is the theme for the MWC Muscular Dystrophy Superdance '81 to be held next weekend, January 30 and

Since the beginning of the new semester, members of the steering committee have been furiously try-ing to pull loose ends together and work around such difficulties as a change in location of the dance. Frichange in location of the dance. Fri-day nights events will now take place in the Poolroom, instead of Goolrick. Friday features music by Witch fro 8pm until midnight. At that time, Holiday-Sound Systems will entertain until Saturday night. day as the dancers will waltz over to Seacobeck basement to be rock-ed by Casper.

Spectators will be welcomed both Friday and Saturday nights for the nominal donation of \$1.50 at the door. There will be no beer on Friday night (sorry) but there will be 15 kegs for Saturday night-3 beers/\$1.

The biggest event is the pie throw. George Edwards, Assistant Dean of Students, is the target. For every \$25 raised at the dance, a pie will be skillfully thrown at George. He has a great beard for it!

A dorm competition is beign held all week. The prize? Two free (FREE?!!) kegs of beer to the doem that can raise the most money per person by Saturday night. The buckets for the money are located at the front desk of every dorm. Daily progress of the competition will be announced by WMWC and AVC-TV Channel 6 at 7pm.

AVC-TV will be broadcasting from the Saturday night dance, with clips from the weekend. This program is scheduled for 8-12 on Saturday night-tune into channel

Mike Bennett, Erin Flynn and Cedric Rucker will be the Masters of Ceremony for this big event.

They will lead the dancers during the "Punk" hour, and keep everybody happy for the entire 28 hours of the dance. It's too late to register to dance, but everyone is encouraged to come on out Friday and Saturday to see what's goin on and to help out Jerry's kids.

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Finn Speaks Favorably of MWC

by KAY BRADSHAW

Leisurely lighting a pipe and set-tling down in a comfortable chair, Dr. Thomas Finn began to acquaint himself with the students of MWC. As Eminent Scholar and Visiting

Professor of Religion, Finn is sper

Professor of Religion, Finn is spending a semester away from his home at William and Mary to teach three courses at Mary Washington. After undergraduate and graduate study at Catholic University and receiving a doctorate in Early Christioan History and

Thought (technically called partristics), Finn tought at St. Pauls College from 1965-66 and at Syracuse University until 1969.

Hethen became chief editor of the G.&K. Hall and Company, a publishing company for cumulative indexes and library catalogues.

Here, his job was to find the material they published-a task that took him all over the world-"from California to Moscow. I was a prospector, I put my pan in the streams of the world to see what I could come up with-to find the gold nuggets therein."

Even though he loved the job, Finn loves to teach more, so when

he was offered a job at William and Mary, he did not hesitate to accept the position. This was in 1973, and he has been there since. With his northern twang, Finn

with his northern twang, Finn mentioned being born in New York and raised outside the city in Connecticut, thought he did attend a classical high school in Massachusetts. From the middle of Boston, he collected his wife and daughter on a 26-foot boat and sailed to Virgin ed to Virginia.

ed to virginia.

Finn seems happy during this, his semester at Mary Washington; he commented that the students are friendly, welcoming and interested-especially in what he is interested in, which makes him feel more at home. He also mentioned that the students are not hesitant to speak in class, and as for the faculty, he said that they are uniformly helpful, outgoing and informal as well as being friendly. "The faculty here has a lot to offer, and I feel comfortable among them." He said that he found the campus very attractive and the campus very attractive and the library a "good solid" one. "Most of the things I immediately need are there." Finn said that every professor should have a chance to be a visiting professor at Mary be a visitin Washington

Washington.

Though William and Mary is different from MWC in several ways, Finn appreciates the devotion of both schools to liberal education, which he says is the best kind of education, and the fact that the state recognizes the value in such an education and supports and encourages both institutions. He does like being in a department such as

courages out institutions. He does like being in a department such as that of Classics, Philosophy and Religion, including three divisions. Although his special interest is in social influences on the develop-ment of early Christianity, one of finn's courses is 'religion in quest of meaning,' in which he teaches the impact religion has upon home and social life, and what influence home, social and political life have had on religion.

had on religion.

Finn's most recent book, "The Lilturgy of Baptism in the Baptismal Instructions of St. John Chrysostom," is a reconstruction of the newly found manuscript of that Saint, detailing 4th century instructions for baptism.

He also has an article soon to be published in Studia Patristica entitles "Imperial Civil Service and the Spread of Early Christianity," in which his thesis discusses the spread of Christianity through the social status scales of the Roman Empire's civil service.

Still puffing on his pipe, Finn sia that he was definitely looking forward to the rest of his semester at Mary Washington.



Thw midnight showing of Rocky Horror was a big success as people dressed up as the movie's characters

photo by Houston Kempton

The Best, Worst Albums of 1980

by TOM COLLETTA
A final look at the musical achievements (good and otherwise)

10 Best Albums of 1980

1. The Wall-Pink Floyd. Even though it was released in 1979, it though it was released in 1979, it was late enough in the year to count on 1980's balloting. With the exception of The Who's "Tommy," this is the ultimate concept album, in addition to being the most accessible Pink Floyd music ever. Roger Waters came down from his tower and recorded one for the mortals.

2.Zenyatta Mondatta-The Police. The way these three Englishmen play such great reggae, I wonder if there are any Jamaicans in their

3.The River-Bruce Springsteen. Just think, Bruce. A "Ramrod" and a "Jackson Cage are all that stood between you and #1

4.McVicar(soundtrack)--Roger Politry. This is The Who's fourth soundtrack album, second best behind "Tommy." If Daltry acts as well as he sings, he'll win an Oscar. behind "Tommy. It Datity acts as well as he sings, he'll win an Oscar. A special Best Lyric Award goes to the opening line of "Bitter and Twisted". 'A psychopath never takes a bath/Cause he'll wash away

5.Emotional Rescue-The Rolling S.Emotonia rescue-the Rolling Stones. Everytime you think these veterens are down for the count, not only do they come up, but they sound better; than when they went down. It'll take a lot to top this one,

6.I'm Not Strange, I'm Just Like You-Keith Sykes.

7.Backstage Pass-Little River

8.Double Fantasy-John Lennon

9.Empty Glass-Pete Townshend.

10. Wild Planet-The B-52's.

10 Worst Albums of 1980

1. Saved-Bob Dylan. If this album were a movie, it would be called "Dylan's Gate." Note only are his two most recent works embarrasments to rock, but they are also a stab in the back to the genre of Contemporary Christian music.

2. Turn of a Friendly 1/2 card-Alan Parsons Project. The fifth album by this band tries to keep one foot in space and plant the other one in the Top 40. It doesn't hold its balance

3. Women and Children First-Van Halen. Credit them for "The Cradle 3. Women and Children First-van Halen. Credit them for "The Cradle will Rock." Negate that credit for the Sexist Bad Taste Award winner for 1980, "Bottoms Up." It can only get better.

4.But the Litle Girls Understa The Knack. Sexist Bad Taste Award winner in the prepubescent division. When they're not grafting entire melody lines from 60's songs, they're sounding like the they're sounding lequivelent of HUSTLER.

5.Go To Heaven-Grateful Dead. Except for "Alabama Getaway," Jerry Garcia and friends show they'd rather live in the past than bother with the future.

6.Roadie(soundtrack)-Various Artsist. Teddy Pendergrass, Pat Benetar, and Emmylou Harris on the same record? go home!

7. Foolish Behavior-Rod Stewart Sexist Bad Taste Award, Dirty Old Man Division. The title describes the album better than I can.

8. Greatest Hits-J. Geils Band. "Love Stinks" isn't here, so this album is mistitled.

9. There and Beck-Jeff Beck. One of rock's all-time greats merely salving his ego with glorified elevator music. Why, Jeff?

10. Times Square (Soundtrack)-Various Artists. A Bee Gee on a New Wave disc? Who are you trying to kid, Robert Stigwood?



WMWC's Linda Wigandt (Wig) smiles as she takes a short break from the Wigi Ro: o Show in which she stars with Betsy Rohaly. photo by Houston Kempton

WMWC Builds Image, Studio

by BETHANNE DAUGHTREY

It's a new year, a new semester, and new and exciting plans are being conjured up all around campus. Among these new plans are the ideas drifting out of WMWC-Mary Washington's radio station.

The WMWC staff have several rabbits under their magic hat. Some new people, some new shows and some new people, some new shows

Some new people, some new snows and some new soulds. Monica Peterschmidt, station manager, happened to expose a few "trade secrets" when asked about the changes in the station. To begin with, two new board positions were filled at the start of this semester with Dave Hardin taking over the recently created Public Relations and Steve Jalbert filling the posi-tion of Music Director. Peterschmidt hopes that these new additions will help redistribute the responsibilities that come with running the radio station. Now that the board has increased to seven, each member will be able to concen-trate on their designated areas instead of having to cover

Besides new people, WMWC is trying a new programming format.

There will be more specialty shows There will be more specialty shows during the night hours and weekends ranging from artist specials to Rhythm and Blues to Christian Rock. Rock n'roll will fill the weekday slots and the semester will be sprinkled with a few live broadcasts of men's and women's basketball games and some stuwill be springer to broadcasts of men's and women's basketball games and some student survey shows. The survey shows will be stocked with songs

students say they want to hear through answering questionnaires from the station.

from the station.

Besides these added variations,
Sunday nights will boast a halfhour news wrap-up for the week
and a series called The History of
Jazz. The series will focus on
several different artists.

Peterschmidt says, "We're working with what we have and getting
as hig a variety as we can with

as big a variety as we can with that." She also plans on getting a schedule out to everyone on campus so students will "know what they will be hearing when they turn on the radio."

The station also is opening a production studio and has new equip-ment. WMWC purchased over \$3000 worth of equipment with the help of Student Activities Finance last semester,

The new equipment includes two new turntables, two tone arms and an eight-channel mixer. an eight-channel mixer. Peterschmidt says the equipment was purchased "in an effort to step up our sound." The old equipment will be used in the production studio to train Disc Jockeys, make ads and promotion recordings and tape the most popular music for the programming list. With the equipment purchased, the productin studio will be in use as soon as Buildings and Grounds finishes rewiring, lowering the ceiling for acoustic purposes, installing the equipment and putting in acoustical tile.

New althures are also on the list of

New albums are also on the list of New albums are also on the list of changes. These will come with time, though, since WMWC is on a limited budget. To flesh out the budget the station has planned a keg party. The theme of the keg party will be "The First Day of Spring Beach Party." There will be a raffle at the keg party for the winner's choice of albums from any artist's works.

The station will be buying some singles from "the top 100" and adding them into many of the shows. ding them into many of the shows.

"We'll pick some sure-fire hits...
the ones people are listening to," a
member of the staff said. She went
on to add that WMWC also plans
to pick records that are "at the bottom that we think are good to introduce to Mary Wash students."

WMWC is in the process of
reconstructing itself. Peterschmidt
concluded. "We're doing a lot of

concluded, "We're doing a lot of new things and we're trying to build an image. We're on our way!"

Announcements

ATTENTION: To all those students who are not considered Junior due to either a lack of required credits or rather an abundance of credits (whatever the

situation may be:

If you are planning to attend any of the Junior class ceremonies [ring presentation, ring dance and din-ner] you must ocntact Karen Mac-Dowell at ext. 4462 so that you will be included in required preparation.

Please be in touch as soon as possible. Thank You! - Karen Mac-Dowell, Jr. Class Chairman of Ring announcements and invitations.

new MaryWashington and WMWC is on the air. There've been a few changes at the station; we've got a new format for one thing. We'll be playing album rock for 7am to 7pm weekdays with specialty shows from 7 to 12 on weeknights and all day Saturday and Sunday. The station has a new look since

the acquisition of new equipment. The new hardware will be remodelled accordingly. Improvements in the quality of out broadcast sound is being strived for and sound is now in Willard Hall.

now in Willard Hall.

WMWC is going to become a stronger part of the campus community. Things of interest to look forward to in the coming weeks will be artist specials, covering groups such as the Beatles, Earth Wind and Fire, and Blondie; live broadcasts of men's and women's home basketball games; a "beach party" kegger on March 21; and a totally new addition: a 30-minute news magazine.

You can expect big things from 540am this semester and we're confident that we won't disappoint you in the least!

Stay tuned to 540 am WMWC and remember to...
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FOOD AND DRINK

A Snap To Make-Even In A Dorm

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2 teaspoons vanilla extract

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Test Your Energy Sensitivity

The solution to the energy crisis may depend on the know-ledge of the world's energy users. How much do you know about energy—where it comes from, how it is used, and its effects? Take this quiz and find out.

1. By the end of the 20th century, how will the demand or total energy in the United states compare to current temand?

a. the same

b. twice as much

c. three times as much

2. What percent of the otal world's energy is conumed in the United States?

a. at least 10%

b. at least 20%

c. at least 30%

3. How much faster than the rate of production of coal, as and oil are we in the United tates consuming these fuels?

a. 10 times faster

b. 1,000 times faster c. 1,000,000 times

faster

4. Since 1970, the United States generated electricity with oil-powered plants . . .

a. at a reduced rate b. at the same rate

c. at a higher rate

__5. If the attics of single mily homes lacking insulation ere properly insulated, how uch heating oil would be yed on a typical winter day?

a. 2%

b. 8% c. 50%

6. Including the efficiency automobiles in use, how who of the energy from crude troleum is wasted going from oil well to the moving car?

a. 20%

b. 60% c. 90%

_____7. If uranium were sent to a reprocessing plant and used in breeder reactors, how much more electricity would be generated with the same fuel?

a. 3,500% more b. 100% more

b. 100% more c. 50% more

______8. Incandescent lamps and fluorescent lamps emit the same amount of light. Which uses energy more efficiently?

a. fluorescent

efficiency

b. incandescent c. they have the same 9. Of the energy used in gas stoves, how much is employed to keep the pilot lights burning?

a. 10% b. 25% c. 50%

____10. How many soft drink cans can be manufactured from recycled aluminum with the energy needed to make a single can from aluminum ore?

a. three

b. eight

c. twenty

1. Which of the following do you believe to be serious problem areas at MWC?

a. Honor System b. Judicial System c.Social Life

d.Apathy e.Student Government f.The Administration

g. Other

2.Is the Student Association an effective vehicle for change?

a. yes b.no c.don't know d.no opinion

3.Do you consider yourself to be:

a.very involved with campus activities b.somewhat involved c.uninvolved d.apathetic e.no opinion

4. I am a:

a.freshman b.sophomore c.junior d.senior e.faculty member f. other

Please fill out and return to your front desk or the BULLET office by Friday, January 30. Thank you! You're responses are greatly appreciated and will be used in BULLET research for an article on student power.

*Answers:

1. B. On the average, the demand for energy in the United States has doubled every 20 to 25 years. This pattern has held steady for more than a century.

2. C. Although the United States has only 6% of the world's population, it uses more than a third of the world's

3. C. In less than 500 years, humans will have used all the coal, oil, and gas that was formed by nature 500,000,000 years ago.

4. C. In 1970, before the Arab oil embargo, the United States obtained 12% of its electricity from oil-powered plants. In 1978, oil was responsible for 21% of U.S. electricity.

5. B. There are approximately 15 million American homes needing attic insulation.

steps, from producing the crude oil to refining to gasoline transport to engine thermal efficiency to engine mechanical efficiency to rolling efficiency. The total efficiency of the system is 6%.

7. A. When uranium is fissioned to generate electricity at a reactor site, only a small portion is used. If reprocessed and used in breeder reactors, it can be recycled many times and a far greater portion of the ore

8. A. Fluorescent lights emit three to four times as much light per watt of electricity as incandescent bulbs. One 40-watt fluorescent light gives more light than three 60-watt incandescents.

9. C. Because pilot lights burn continuously they take about half of the gas used in the gas

10. C. Aluminum uses a great deal of energy, especially in the processing of the ore. The total number of cans thrown away in the U.S. has an equivalent to the output of 10 large nuclear power plants.

Score 1 for each correct answer.

Interpretation:

0-5 You are not sensitive to the energy crisis. You probably o waste energy and your behavior may contribute to shortages.

6-7: Your energy-consciousness is rising but you still have a lot to learn. Solutions to the energy crisis depend on people doing more and learning more than they do and know now.

8-10. You are sensitive and knowledgeable about the energy crisis. You are probably a pioneer in efficient energy use and a leader in raising the energy consciousness of others.

*Answers based on material supplied by the American Nuclear Society.



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On the Record

Paradise & Adventure

by TOM COLLETTA
HIT "Paradise Theater"-Styx
Right around the release of their
"Cornerstone" LP, this band was
named the top group in the 12 to 19
year old age bracket. Romanticized, oversentimental drivel like
"Babe" and "The First Time" was
obviously designed solely for these
fans. Fortunately, they've gone
back to the wit and the occasional
social relevance of their "Grand Illusion" and "Pieces of Eight"
albums. It's good to have them
back.

This is a first rate concept album, and although the end of paradise has been treated before as a suband atthough the end of paradise has been treated before as a subject, it's given a fresh creative slant here. Problems with drugs ("Snowblind"-which is not about winter weather) and loneliness (the excellent "Nothing Ever Goes As Planned") contribute to the "crumbling of paradise"-even the album cover, with its before and after pictures of the "Paradise Theater," is a masterpiece. And yet there is hope expressed in the single, "The Best of Times," that this individual-or this society, depending on how you interpret it-can "keep alive the memories of paradise." A very intelligent and very enjoyable set. Rating.****/*

MISS "Made in America"-Blues Brothers

Blues Brothers
It's a shame that this group's first album, "Briefcase Full of Blues" was as good as it was. Otherwise, you'd be able to write off "The Blues Brothers" sound-track album and this record as comic fluff. But, with that first LP, when the standard that they've they set a standard that they've since shown they're unable to meet. All three albums have contained a session band with some of the best musicians going-Steve Cropper, Duck Dunn, Lou Marini, etc.--and

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some passable blues vocals from John Belushi. But rather than ussome passable butes vocals from John Belushi. But rather than using that base to try and improve on the light humor and excellent choice of material on "Briefcase," they've merely dupolicated every element that "Briefcase" had on the subsequent two records. The humorous song, the spoken monologues, and the harmonica solo by Dan Ackroyd, and the obligatory "I'm-so-alone" ballad by Belushi are all here-but they've been done before and done better. The two worthwhile cuts-a gem called "Goir Back to Miami" and a remake of the Drifters' hit "Riot in Cell Block #9"-totally outclass the rest of the album, but they still don't negate the fact that Jake and Elwood have run out of steam and are down to parodying themselves. are down to parodying themselves.
For these two musical Cinderellas,
the clock just struck midnight.
Rating: **1/2*

WHO KNOWS? "Adventure"Rupert Holmes
Holmes' last record, "Partners in Crime," had three singles-"Escape (The Pina Colada Song)," 'Him," and "Answering Machine." These showed him to be made up of, respectively, the charm of Paul Simon, the storytelling ability of Harry Chapin, and a clever, witty writing style like that of O. Henry. This new LP has some of that-the wonderfully ridiculous bravado of "I Don't Need You" being the best of the lot. But the other good cuts, "Blackjack," "The Mask," and the title cut, have only his pleasant voice to salvage them. This album is so well crafted, it leaves no room for emotion. And after "Partners," don't try and tell me that Rupert Holmes is not capable of inspiring emotions. You'd have an easier time trying to sell me the Brooklyn Bridge. Rating:**/*



photo by Houston Kempton

Where is it?

Typos a Newsense

by LEZLIE WALLACE

by LEZLIE WALLACE
Typographical errors are a
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often mew words are invented.
Honestly, students should fake pity on their profesors. They are the ones, who must read this material. As they cook over papers students burn in class, the gradiding process is blowed up if teachers must figure out what is suppose tobe there.

tobe there.
Since typing is so easy, it's lard to understand how people can make so many mistakes. It may be turd that people go so last that they hit the wrong keys, switch letter, run words together, or leave words out. That only means that students should take their time and type. Basically, there are # rules to follow when typing:

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2. Type last as you can while still bing accurate.

3. Correct any hound errors. The results can be very rewording. Youcome up with a paper which looks much like this one Easily legible and nice to red. So, in conclusion, remember, slekrj kslejfdk kels;alse kskejfkel dkell, kj. by VIC BRADSHAW Okay. We will give credit where credit is due. You are getting bet-

ter.

Last week 14 people correctly identified the picture as the swing behind Framer. Eva Marie Byrnes was the lucky winner of Styx, "Paradise Theater," compliments of Ross Music and Audio.

But most of the entries ca from Framar residents. So we give some credit, but we still do think anyone knows much about

think anyone knows much about this campus.

So here is this week's picts. The winner of the contest a receive "The Willing and The Incent," the latest release in U.F.O. Good Luck! We know you

Black Culture Week February 8-15

Sunday: Gospel Ensemble & Choir Concert

3pm Dodd Auditorium

Monday: Lecture by Mayor Marsh of Richmond

7:45pm Monroe 104

Tuesday: Art Show 12-3:30 and 5-8pm

ACL Lounge A

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8pm Poolroom

Friday: Concert with Stacy Lattisaw and

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Hibbard on Art History

by JACKIE CONCIATORE
To Dr. Howard Hibbard, noted
thistorian and Columbia Univerity professor, 'art history is very xciting,' but 'not a practical field o go into.' Hibbard 'adores go into.' Hibbard 'adores ching' but 'also loves not ching,' and also noted that westing, and also noted that (MC's professors are overworked. In fact, Hibbard was full of in-gresting comments and observa-ions during his two day stay here is MWC's Phi Beta Kappa Visiting

a. Hibbard, a tall, deep-voiced man, staught at Columbia University 20 years. He claims he always we he would be a University prosor. His father taught at sconsin U. and he says "it never ared my mind I wouldn't also." a reason Hibbard enjoys ching is because he is 'not overdened. He noted that with four five classes each, MWC teachers overworked. Bibard says he always thought umbia was a 'shitty institution.' stated that he took a job there

because it was the only available one. His feelings have changed over the years, and now the professor has great admiration for Columbia's administration, and calls his department 'one of the best in the States.'

Since his early teaching years, Hibbard has noticed students becoming more job-oriented. He feels the 'peak of enthusiasm' for art history is over and students are now more attracted to business and medical fields. Hibbard advised that any serious art history stu-



by MEG BELL
Howard Hibbard, professor of art history at Columbia Unviersity, gave a lecture on Caravaggio's classical paintings Thursday in Monroe Lecture Hall.
Hibbard's primary emphasis in the informal lecture was to describe Caravaggio both as a man and as an artist. Hibbard described Carravaggio as a ruthless man who "went out with dagger and sword regularly...got into many regularly...got into many fights...street brawls. He lived an unbelievably Bohemian life." The professor noted that in 1606,

Caravacgio had to flee to Rome after murdering a man.
On the other hand, continued Hibbard, he was a sensitive artist who was desperately trying to copy the styles of earlier meaters such as who was desperately trying to copy the styles of earlier masters such as Raphael, da Vinci, and Michelangelo. Despite these at-tempts at imitation, Hibbard feels Caravaggio left an indelible mark of his own realism.

of his own realism.

Hibbard described Carravaggio's earliest paintings as realistic still-lifes with little background or at-mosphere. In these he began his at-tempts to excel the masters. Hibbarc said the still-lifes, which were among the best of the period, "seem to take on a presence greater than themselves."

sem to take on a presence greater than themselves."

Caravaggio's paintings later became intensely, unbearably religious, according to the professor. In these, he experimented with dark-background lighting.

Two of the examples Hibbard displayed were "Doubting Thomas" and "Reunition of Christ with His Disciples."

During the 1950's Caravaggio was under the patronage of a Cardinal Del Monte. He painted erotic pictues for the Cardinal which contained fruit or musical instruments of which the Cardinal was fond. An example of this is his mythological

painting done in 1595. The figures in the painting are Cupid, Bacchus, a lute player and a horn player. He did another of a lutist in which the figure is of ambivalent gender. The painting a lute in the figure is to hope ngure is or amouvalent gender. The painting's allusion is to homo-eroticism, a violinist 'picking up the violin in the painting to come and play" although there is no violinist in the painting.

Hibbard noted that Caravaggio

Hibbard noted that Caravaggio was a member of the landed gentry of the town of Caravage, Italy. Because his family was very wealthy and of good social standing, Caravaggio felt a deep need to rebel, So, Hibbard stated, if he couldn't excel the masters, then typically, he would do it differently, with his own touch of realism.

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Senate Works on Letter toFormer Hostages

The Student Association Senate is conducting a drive to obtain the signatures of the College community to be sent with a letter welcoming home the former hostages of Iran. This letter, which will be mailed to the Department of State for distribution to the hostages, reads

as follows: TO OUR

as follows:
TO OUR FELLOW
AMERICANS, RECENTLY ARRIVED FROM IRAN:
The joy and thanksgiving
which your safe return has brought
to the nation as a whole, and to our
campus in particular, has prompted

us, the Administration, Faculty, Staff, and Students of Mary Washington College, to express to you our pride, affection, and con-gratulations. Throughout the late ordeal, your courage and perseverance have epitomized the best qualities of the American people and have earned you the respect and admiration of the Free World.

It is our sincere hope that you will now again enjoy the benefits of freedom and reunion with your friends and loved ones. Our prayers and best wishes are with you.

Welcome home.

Administration 'Rap' Session

The administration of Mary The administration of Mary Washington College is planning a rap session with students on Wednesday evening, January 28 at 5:30 pm in the basement of Seacobeck Hall.

Seacobeck Hall.

Key college administrators will be availible to afford students a full opportunity for two-way communication. There is no planned

program, administrators will be seated at separate tables with signs identifying them and will talk infor-mally with students, either separately or in company separately or in groups, as they

College President Prince B. Woodard initiated the rap session and plans to hold more throughout the year, if sufficient interest on the part of the students is shown.

Sophomore Class News

by PATTI FOLEY and JACKIE CONCIATORE

The sophomore class held a meeting Thursday, chaired by newly-appointed President Karrie Nelson, to dis dent activities. to discuss upcoming stu-

Nelson discussed 100th Night Neison discussed 100th Night and 81st Night with an audience of less than ten. One Hundredth Night, Feb. 4, will be held in either Seacobeck basement or the Poolroom The location of 81st Night is traditionally a secret. Neison said she needs students to work at the perties. She also urged students to help by participating in pre-party publicity skits. The Class of '83 is also sponsor-

ing the year's first keg party on April 24. The kegger will follow the MWC Rugby Tournament, said

Nelson stepped up from the office of vice-president this semester after ex-President Andy Munsey resigned. Judy Glass, Nelson's op-ponent in last semester's election, ponent in last semester's ele vice-president.

Downtown

being carried out to encourage merchants to move downtown.
Willis described Fredericksburg

"a center for economic develop-ent" that has been successful in raising the property values in the city. Because of the efforts underway to improve the area, the community is finding that many low volume stores are moving into the area, and that many local merarea, and that many local mer-chants are beginning to buy and renovate buildings that were previously in states of degenera-tion. Most recently, the Bicentennial Visitors Center has converted a Salvation Army Sorage house into the curent visitors center, and Emory and his wife have established a pub. Several other pubs and eu a puo. Several otner puos and restaurants, not to mention special-ty shops, have sprung up in recent months along Caroline, William and Sophia streets. Others are be-ing planned.

Emory, stating that the condi-tions downtown have been poor, believes that all this activity is a sign that the economic growth of the city is starting up again.

Accompanying each copy or the letter will be sheets of paper with the names of students, administrators, staff, and faculty per-sonnel. There will be individual lists for residence halls, and for seach academic department. Separate lists will also be made for the day students, police, dining hall staff, and maintainence and ad-

staff, and maintainence and ad-ministrative people.
Senators in each hall will be responsible, along with the hall's staff, for collecting resident's signatures. Members of the Senate Welfare and Special Projects committees will cover the other groups, and gather all the lists for copying. Copies of the letter will be placed

in each residence hall, as signature lists will be either tak and door-to-door or passed around at

ocorto-door or passed around at hall meetings.

If anyone is interested in distributing letter copies or organizing the material for reproduction and mailing, call reproduction and mailing, call Scott Harris or Andy Munsey at x4429. The cooperation and involvement of as many people as possible in this project will be greatly appreciated. If we can apply to this gesture the same spirit and enthusiasm that existed at the Rally for Freedom held in November, 1979, we will have tremendous. tremendous success.

Rocky Horror Shows All

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"We were talking about possible
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"This isn't just a movie. It's an event, a phenomenon!"
Those are two of the comments by Tri-Unit Residence Director David Tedrow about the movie. The movie came to Mary Washington College on January 23, and from 7:00 p.m. until the third showing ended at around 1:30 a.m., had nearly 600 people throwing rice and toast at a movie screen. It had people believing in Brad, Janet, Dr. Scott (Great Scott!) and the residents of the glant Transsexual in the galaxy of planet Transsexual in the galaxy of Transylvania. Most importantly, it had people enjoying themselves. The movie was easily the event of The monte was easily the event of the young semester and probably—with the exception of the Halloween's keg party and Fall Formal-the event of the year. The movie-co-sponsored by Madison and Custis residence halls (who both made around \$200 for the evening) was "The Rocky Horror Picture Schom."

For those of you who may not be familiar with this film, there is a sort of a story- dealing with aliens, mad scientists, and a contemmad scientists, and a contem-porary reworking of the "Frankenstein" legend. But going to this event expecting just a story is like going to a Harlem Globetrot-ters show and worrying about who's going to win-you're missing the point! Besides, the audience commentary ranging from shouts the point! Besides, the audience commentary, ranging from shouts of "Where's your neck?" and "Bo-RING" to more off-color remarks, made it impossible to follow the dialogue, but the commentary is half the fun anyway!

In any event, what mere movie could draw people back ten, 20, even 30 times? There's a term for movies like this. They're called "Cult Movies." Another example of a Cult Movie is "Animal House-" a movie aimed at a particular au-

a movie aimed at a particular au-dience and finding its basic suc-cess, if not its total success, with

that particular group.

As was stated previously, there were many good moments on screen. The music was excellent and Tim Curry has a bravura field day as the transsexual mad scientist, Dr. Frank N. Furter. Alth the movie is enjoyable, though, the show in the audience is just as en-joyable if not more. Some students

came in costume, dressed as one of the characters. The students the knew the film well knew the movie's cues to squirt water pistal and cover their heads will newspapers. My favorite audien participation though, occurred as ly in the film when many member of the audience got up and begadoing "The Time Warp," a dan the film has made popular.

Madison and Custis are to be commended for the showing of the movie, which, like the B 52s as "The Gong Show," is nothing mothan a good time-PERIODI Sog people I spoke to didn't like the movie, but it is doubtful that the didn't laugh at least once, and if

people I spoke to didn't like it movie, but it is doubtful that the didn't laugh at least once, and it also doubtful that they didn't con out feeling a little better than the did when they went in. Isn't the

Nosegay suspended upside down

preservation

and a rose red, but brown-edged and soft to touch caught somewhere in its folds,

wrenched from the dying held in pink palm and sniffed tentatively-

sole survivor blotting a single tear

clenched in hand wrapped within wax

the baby's breath is its last

discard for Monday.

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